# **Switzerland County**

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**Total Population** 10,613 18-24 Population by age group

Hispanic ...... 147 White......10,381

African American ......32

Population by race

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## TOBACCO AND HEALTH IN SWITZERLAND COUNTY



## **Smoking and pregnancy**

## Births affected by smoking

40

low birth weight, SIDS, reduced lung function

## **Cost of smoking** related births

\$69,096

#### Percent of pregnant women who smoke

Indiana .....18.5% Switzerland County .....29.6%

#### **Smoking deaths**

#### Deaths attributable to smoking

#### Deaths due to secondhand smoke

## **Economic burden of secondhand**

smoke: \$652,806

#### **Smoking related illness**

290

#### TOBACCO CONTROL FUNDING

The CDC recommends the Indiana government spend \$78 million each year on tobacco prevention and control programs.

Actual spending in Indiana: \$10 million

## \$4.8 billion

Economic cost in Indiana due to smoking, according to the Centers for Disease Control.

Cost per Indiana citizen: \$740

## TOBACCO FREE POLICIES

Among the school districts in this county there are no tobacco free campuses.

There are no tobacco free health care facilities and this county does not have a hospital.